

SENATE COMMITTEE MEETINGS

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Meetings scheduled for Tuesday, September 16, 2003 may be found in the Daily Digest of today's RECORD.

MEETINGS SCHEDULED

SEPTEMBER 17

- 10 a.m.
Commerce, Science, and Transportation
To hold hearings to examine digital right management and privacy issues. SD-253
- Energy and Natural Resources
Business meeting to consider pending calendar business. SD-366
- Finance
Business meeting to consider S. 1548, to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to provide incentives for the production of renewable fuels and to simplify the administration of the Highway Trust Fund fuel excise taxes, Extension of Highway Trust Fund Provisions, and National Employee Savings and Trust Equity Guarantee Act. SD-215
- Governmental Affairs
To hold hearings to examine what can be done to ensure the future viability of the U.S. Postal Service. SD-342
- Indian Affairs
To hold hearings to examine S. 420, to provide for the acknowledgement of the Lumbee Tribe of North Carolina. SR-485
- Judiciary
To hold hearings to examine the nominations of Margaret Catharine Rodgers, to be United States District Judge for the Northern District of Florida, Roger W. Titus, to be United States District Judge for the District of Maryland, George W. Miller, of Virginia, to be a Judge of the United States Court of Federal Claims, and David W. McKeague, of Michigan, to be United States Circuit Judge for the Sixth Circuit. SD-226
- 1:30 p.m.
Conferees
Meeting of conferees on H.R. 2555, making appropriations for the Department of Homeland Security for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2004. S-128, Capitol
- 2 p.m.
Judiciary
To hold hearings to examine effective federal, state and local law enforce-

ment strategies to combat gang violence in America. SD-226

2:30 p.m.

Commerce, Science, and Transportation

To hold hearings to examine the nominations of Gwendolyn Brown, of Virginia, to be Chief Financial Officer, National Aeronautics and Space Administration, Karen K. Bhatia, of Maryland, to be an Assistant Secretary of Transportation, and Charles Darwin Snelling, of Pennsylvania, to be a Member of the Board of Directors of the Metropolitan Washington Airports Authority. SR-253

Foreign Relations

International Economic Policy, Export and Trade Promotion Subcommittee

To hold hearings to examine West Africa and Latin America in relation to U.S. Energy Security. SD-419

SEPTEMBER 18

9 a.m.

Environment and Public Works

Business meeting to consider a bill to extend the authority of TEA-21 (Transportation Equity Act for the 21st Century) for five months, to be immediately followed by a hearing to consider the nomination of Michael O. Leavitt, of Utah, to be Administrator of the Environmental Protection Agency. SD-406

9:30 a.m.

Foreign Relations

To hold hearings to examine how to internationalize Iraq reconstruction and organize the U.S. government to administer reconstruction efforts. TBD

10 a.m.

Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions

Aging Subcommittee

To hold hearings to examine financial abuse of the elderly. SD-430

Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs

Business meeting to markup the National Consumer Credit Reporting System Improvement Act of 2003 and the Defense Production Reauthorization Act of 2003. SD-538

Commerce, Science, and Transportation

Surface Transportation and Merchant Marine Subcommittee

To hold hearings to examine railroad shipper issues and S. 919, to amend title 49, United States Code, to enhance competition among and between rail carriers in order to ensure efficient rail service and reasonable rail rates. SR-253

10:30 a.m.

Judiciary

Business meeting to consider pending calendar business. SD-226

2:30 p.m.

Judiciary

Immigration, Border Security and Citizenship Subcommittee

To hold hearings to examine state and local law enforcement of immigration laws in relation to stopping terrorism. SD-226

Energy and Natural Resources

Water and Power Subcommittee

To hold hearings to examine S. 213, to clear title to certain real property in New Mexico associated with the Middle Rio Grande Project, S. 1236, to direct the Secretary of the Interior to estab-

lish a program to control or eradicate tamarisk in the western States, S. 1516, to further the purposes of the Reclamation Projects Authorization and Adjustment Act of 1992 by directing the Secretary of the Interior, acting through the commissioner of Reclamation, to carry out an assessment and demonstration program to assess potential increases in water availability for Bureau of Reclamation projects and other uses through control of salt cedar and Russian olive, H.R. 856, to authorize the Secretary of the Interior to revise a repayment contract with the Tom Green County Water Control and Improvement District No. 1, San Angelo project, Texas, and H.R. 961, to promote Department of the Interior efforts to provide a scientific basis for the management of sediment and nutrient loss in the Upper Mississippi River Basin. SD-366

Intelligence

To hold closed hearings to examine certain intelligence matters. SH-219

SEPTEMBER 23

10 a.m.

Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs

To hold hearings to examine the implementation of the Sarbanes-Oxley Act and restoring investor confidence. SD-538

Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions

To hold hearings to examine health technology. SD-430

SEPTEMBER 24

10 a.m.

Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions

Business meeting to consider pending calendar business. SD-430

Indian Affairs

To hold hearings to examine S. 1601, to amend the Indian Child Protection and Family Violence Prevention Act to provide for the reporting and reduction of child abuse and family violence incidences on Indian reservations. SR-485

SEPTEMBER 25

9:30 a.m.

Armed Services

To hold hearings to examine the report of the Panel to Review Sexual Misconduct Allegations at the United States Air Force Academy. SH-216

10 a.m.

Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions

To hold hearings to examine intellectual diversity. SD-430

Indian Affairs

To hold hearings to examine proposed legislation to reauthorize the Head Start program. Room to be announced

2:30 p.m.

Foreign Relations

To hold hearings to examine the nominations of Richard Eugene Hoagland, of the District of Columbia, to be Ambassador to the Republic of Tajikistan, Pamela P. Willeford, of Texas, to be Ambassador of the United States of America to Switzerland, and to serve concurrently and without additional compensation as Ambassador to the Principality of Liechtenstein, and

James Casey Kenny, of Illinois, to be
Ambassador to Ireland.

SD-419

SEPTEMBER 30

10 a.m.

Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs
To hold hearings to examine the state of
the securities industry.

SD-538

Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions
Substance Abuse and Mental Health Serv-
ices Subcommittee

To hold hearings to examine underage
drinking.

SD-430

OCTOBER 2

2 p.m.

Indian Affairs

To hold hearings to examine S. 1438, to
provide for equitable compensation of
the Spokane Tribe of Indians of the
Spokane Reservation in settlement of
claims of the Tribe concerning the con-
tribution of the Tribe to the produc-
tion of hydropower by the Grand Cou-
lee Dam.

SR-485

OCTOBER 16

10 a.m.

Indian Affairs

To hold hearings to examine the Mis-
souri River Master Manual.

SR-485

OCTOBER 21

10 a.m.

Indian Affairs

To hold hearings to examine S. 1565, to
reauthorize the Native American Pro-
grams Act of 1974.

SR-485

POSTPONEMENTS

SEPTEMBER 17

10 a.m.

Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions
Substance Abuse and Mental Health Serv-
ices Subcommittee

To hold hearings to examine the report
of the Mental Health Commission.

SD-430